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THE BRISTOL COURIER

DAILY WEATHER REPORT
Cloudy and not so warm today. Fair and cooler Saturday and Sunday.

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ERMANY CRACKS WIDE OPEN ON WESTERN FRONT FROM LIGHTNING THRUSTS OF THE ALLIES; COLLAPSING ENEMY FORCES STRUGGLE WEAKLY UNDER CRUSHING BLOWS

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stern Armies, Virtually Unopposed, Advance At Terrific Pace

International News Service

collapsing Germany struggled ly today under the crushing ht of Allied blows from the and West.

the Western Front—cracked open by lightning armored infantry thrusts—the U. S. Army virtually outflanked the industrial Ruhr area. A swift ing drive carried First Army rheads to within less than 200 s of Berlin.

d in the East, a mighty Soviet y rolled toward Vienna and the ntain fastnesses of southern nany after crashing to the rian frontier at points within more than 40 miles from the al.

ut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' Army—in a wide sweep to northeast—drove toward a ion with Allied forces pound- eastward north of the Ruhr, threatened junction would sew he entire area and possibly thousands of enemy troops.

First Army spearhead was of- ly reported 10 miles south of erborn, east of the Ruhr. The ricans thus were approximate- 08 miles from Berlin.

the same time, the U. S. Third y—striking to within approxi- ly the same distance from the h capital—reached a point 31 s east of Giessen on a new 20- advance. The Third's battle was northeast of Frankfurt- Main.

ie Western armies — virtually pposed—were reported at head- ters to be driving into the t of Germany at a terrific pace. he First Army—whose push the Paderborn area represent- 24-hour dash or more than 50 s—had gained a total of 121 s since breaking out of the agen bridgehead five days ago. orth of the Ruhr, meanwhile, ish armored forces, slamming Germany under a security kout, were known to have ad- ced at least another 20 miles. d Marshal Sir Bernard L. Mont- ery's 21st Army group fanned north and northeast from the

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HULMEVILLE

omination and election of offi- s took place at the business eting of the Ladies' Aid Society Neshaminy Church on Tuesday ning. Mrs. Edward Winder was tess at her Middletown Town- p home. Mrs. H. Uwellan Miller, Langhorne, presided. Those cted to office are: President, s. Grace H. Illick; vice-president, s. Samuel K. Faust; secretary, s. G. A. Japchen; assistant sec- ary, Mrs. Harry Claus; treas- r, Mrs. E. D. Atler; assistant asurer, Mrs. Linford Benner, Sr. ere were 17 in attendance, and otions were in charge of Mrs. hbel Buckman. The identity of ecret Sisters" was revealed, and w ones will be chosen at the April h meeting at the home of Mrs. ler. Refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Ruth Schaffer, Main street d Ford avenue, was removed to ington Hospital, Philadelphia, ednesday, she suffering with ap- ndicitis. Miss Schaffer was ken to the hospital in the ambu- nce of Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings

Maximum	56 F.
Minimum	54 F.
Range	32 F.

Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m. yesterday	54
9	58
10	66
11	74
12 noon	82
1 p. m.	86
2	86
3	86
4	86
5	84
6	81
7	78
8	74
9	75
10	74
11	71
12 midnight	69
1 a. m. today	68
2	68
3	66
4	63
5	62
6	62
7	65
8	

P. C./Relative Humidity 73
Precipitation (inches) 0

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 5:08 a. m.; 5:28 p. m.
Low water ..... 12:03 a. m.; 12:26 p. m.

UP-TO-PRESS-TIME WAR BULLETINS

(By International News Service)

ALLIED SPEARHEADS AIM TOWARD BERLIN

Paris—American and British assault forces, swarming eastward toward the heart of Germany, sent spearheads aiming at Berlin today from several points within less than 200 miles of the Reich capital.

With the American First Army and the U. S. Third Army already as close as 198 miles from Berlin, Paris morning newspapers reported that British troops under command of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery also were within about the same distance of the war-torn capital.

There was every indication that Allied units, the Americans in particular, were much deeper into the Reich.

The First Army, commanded by Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, was sweeping steadily northward in the area of Paderborn, driving for a junction with forces of the 21st Army Group to isolate the vital industrial Ruhr Valley completely.

The belief prevailed at headquarters that the great industrial area of Germany will be completely isolated from the rest of the Reich within a few days at most.

British armored units are fanning across north of the Ruhr as five of Gen. Hodges, columns operating south of the Ruhr thrust in a northeasterly direction.

Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's armor-tipped forces, were at least 95 miles east of the Rhine and equally as close to Berlin as the First Army, if not closer. All that was known officially concerning Marshal Montgomery's forces moving ahead under a strict security blackout was that they had advanced an average of 10 miles yesterday.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In the Various Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Pvt. Earl G. Bauder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bauder, Quakertown, R. 2, who was seriously wounded in action on July 20 while fighting in France, returned to active duty on January 18 only to be wounded again two days later in Belgium.

According to a War Department letter received recently by his parents he has now returned to action for the third time.

Pvt. Bauder was hospitalized for five months after being wounded the first time, and received the Purple Heart Medal, an Oak Leaf Cluster and the Good Conduct Medal.

Frank Vondenschaer, who resided alone on Valley road, near Jamison, was found dead on the kitchen floor of his home Saturday evening.

The man, who resided in Jamison for more than 40 years, had been asked to work for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wallace, who lived across the road from the Vondenschaer home and when he failed to put in his appearance, they went to his home, where they found him dead.

State Police from Doylestown and Bucks County Coroner Alfred J. Rigby, Cornwells Heights, were called, and the latter issued a certificate of death due to natural causes.

Capt. VanWorman Welsh, New Hope, a veteran of World War I., was the guest speaker, Saturday evening, at the meeting of Solebury Farmers' Club, entertained in Trinity Hall, Solebury, by Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Magill and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wallwork.

Introduced by the president of the club, Clyde M. Davis, Capt. Welsh told in an interesting manner of his tour of England before the outbreak of the present war, and during this tour he took colored pictures of many prominent places.

The greater part of the evening was devoted to the showing of these pictures, which included many old English gardens, scenes about Stratford-on-Avon, castles and universities, famous English inns and houses and castles in England and Scotland.

ANNOUNCES MEETING

Prominent educators and leaders of the United Nations Council of Philadelphia will address high and junior high school students on April 4 in preparation for Dumbarton Oaks Forum Week to be held at the schools throughout the five-county Philadelphia area, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Russell W. DeLong, chairman of the Red Cross branch. Among the speakers will be Dr. John W. Nason, president of Swarthmore College and of the United Nations Council, and Judge L. Stauffer Oliver, president judge of Common Pleas Court and chairman of the Council board of directors.

PREPARING FOR THE EASTER CELEBRATION

Additional Services of Worship Will Mark the Glorious Day

SOME ARE AT SUNRISE

Christian churches will observe Easter Sunday with additional services in some instances. Some congregations are looking forward to sunrise programs on the day which marks the anniversary of Christ's rise from the dead.

The programs as announced for suburban churches are:

Croydon Lutheran Church

St. Luke's Lutheran Church, State road and Excelsior avenue, Croydon, the Rev. T. Kohlmeier, pastor: This evening services will be conducted at eight o'clock. Colored pictures of the Passion of Christ will supplement the Lenten meditation.

On Easter Sunday two services will be conducted in the morning, an early service at 8.30 and the regular service at 11. In both these services Holy Communion will be celebrated. Sunday School and Bible classes, 9.45; special children's Easter service will be conducted on Sunday evening, at eight o'clock; Sunday School teachers meet next Friday evening.

Bensalem Methodist Church

Easter Sunday, Bensalem will start the day with a sunrise service at seven followed by a breakfast served by the Sunday School; 9.45, Sunday School program in charge of the junior church under the direction of Mrs. John Gottsabend and Miss Ruth Gottsabend presenting a play, "The Children Hear About Easter"; 11, morning worship, the Rev. B. B. Brodhead delivering the Easter message, music will be furnished by the choir and a solo by Miss Erna Letterle.

Eddington Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Arthur D. Sargis, pastor: Sunday, regular morning worship, 11 o'clock, the cantata, "Redemption Song" (Holton) will be presented by the choir; Sunday School, 9.45 o'clock, the lesson, "The Author and Perfecter of Our Faith"; young people's meeting, seven o'clock; evening worship, 7.45.

Preparatory service, 7.45 p. m., April 6th.

Newport Road Community Chapel

Richard C. Cotter, Jr., pastor: Special Easter service prepared by the young people will be presented at Sunday School service at 10 o'clock, attendance awards will be given at the end of the service; morning worship, 11 o'clock, special choir selections have been prepared, new members will be welcomed and the pastor will deliver a resurrection message; a commu-

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NOW AT FORT STORY

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga., Mar. 30—Dorothy P. Quinn, daughter of Mrs. A. Matilda Potts, Schumacher Drive, Bristol, Pa., who has been stationed at the Third Training Center of the Women's Army Corps here, has been assigned to Fort Story, Va.

Aged Colored Resident Dies in Langhorne Boro'

LANGHORNE, Mar. 30—An aged colored resident of this borough, John William Crummer, died at his home on Wednesday. He was 78 years of age.

Surviving him are his wife, Anna Valentine Crummer; one sister and three brothers.

Mr. Crummer, who was born in Langhorne, had been employed on farms in this section, and also by the State Highway Department.

The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at his late home, E. Richardson avenue, with the Rev. J. W. Faust officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Cemetery, here, with R. L. Horner, funeral director, in charge. Friends may call this evening.

TRANSITION TO WAR GOODS IS PORTRAYED

Film Shown Exchangeites Portrays Vital Change In Auto Factory

C. F. BOYD PRESIDES

The Bristol Exchange Club met last evening in the Elks' Home with 21 members present. President Charles F. Boyd presided. Andrew MacArthur led in group singing, with Keith Rosser as accompanist.

2nd Lt. Wayne Fry, of the U. S. Marine Corps, was an honored guest. He was introduced by his father, Roy F. Fry.

A resolution adopted by unanimous vote, endorses National Brake Week, which will begin on April 15th. National Brake Week, sponsored by the International Association of Chiefs of Police, will emphasize the importance of mechanical brake perfection as a means of preventing accidents and conserving the rapidly aging automobiles now in use. The average age of cars today is far above the average age of former years, hence special emphasis of this program is being made.

Clarence W. Winter was in charge of the program, and pleased members by showing a new film recently released by General Motors entitled "Buicks On The Job." The film gave the entire history of the conversion of an automobile plant from automobile production to its present vital position as a producer of war necessities. The planning, tooling, manufacture and testing programs were vividly brought before the members.

Large scale production and the experience of years of use of the production line have made possible, speed of production in materials of war. Production methods were shown on aircraft engines, the Hellcat tank destroyer, the Hercules army truck motor, the pressed steel 75 mm. shell, and many other motor and drive parts for machines of war.

Build Third Air-Strip At Fleetwings, Inc., Field

A third air-strip is being laid at Fleetwings, Inc., field "for wind direction," according to an announcement made today.

Two air-strips placed during the fall and winter at the field in Bristol Township, are also receiving their top coating now.

GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL

HARRISBURG, Mar. 30—Among bills signed yesterday by Governor Martin was one appropriating $60,000 for the Navigation Commission for the Delaware River to be used to complete construction and equipment of the nautical school near Morrisville.

Miss Irene Paules, Otter street, left Wednesday to spend the Easter holidays at her home in Slatington.

MONEY---OR CIGAR COUPONS?

Children playing store used to be quite as happy with a handful of cigar coupons as with real money.

Grown people are supposed to know the difference.

Yet sometimes one wonders.

Throughout Pennsylvania everyone thinks there is a "war boom" on—a backwash of prosperity in which virtually everyone is enjoying unprecedented earnings.

Ask the average labor union member, and he or she will tell you working people are receiving the biggest pay in all history.

To look only at the figures on the pay check, without paying attention to such other items as the inflated value of the money, the soaring cost of living, the huge percentage of the pay which will be recaptured by the government in taxes, the employe's share of the national debt, and the uncertain future of private savings . . . .

To count only the number of dollars and compare their total with the number received some time in the past is to take the point of view of a child who thinks a cigar coupon is a $5 bill.

Pennsylvania's per capita income received by individuals was $1048 in 1943, according to reports of the U. S. Department of Commerce.

This figure compared with per capita income of $625 in 1919 and $767 in 1929.

On the figures alone, this looks like a big increase.

BUT . . .

The two earlier figures were on the basis of 100-cent dollars, the 1943 on the basis of the Roosevelt 59-cent dollar.

Correct the figures to allow for New Deal inflation—and we discover that the people of Pennsylvania received almost as much money in 1919, and more money in 1929, than in the full flower of the New Deal's war prosperity.

And that is without discounting for several other important factors.

Taxes in 1919 and 1929 were only a few cents on the dollar for the average wage-earner.

Today, with the direct taxes such as the income tax, and the indirect taxes such as social security taxes, corporation taxes, and commodity taxes, few indeed will escape without at least a quarter of their income finding its way back to the treasury.

The cost of living is rising rapidly. How much, no one seems to know. OPA figures are on a short list of items in which the agency's efforts to make a good showing have been almost disastrous.

Farm real estate prices were listed in a report last January, submitted by Assistant President Byrnes, as being up 43 per cent in five years. Between direct price increases, and increases by reduced quality, many other salables have risen at least as much.

The persistent demands of many labor groups for an easing of the Little Steel wage formula is not by any means grounded solely on greed; working people everywhere are finding that their present wages don't go as far as the old ones used to.

Because we didn't sign any receipt for it, it is easy to forget the national debt. But we owe it, just the same.

Every man, woman and child in America owes $2222 on that debt, on the basis of the present debt limit—which by no means represents the limit of the debt.

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AWARD SILVER STAR TO PFC. WM. J. KEEN

Former Hulmeville Man Is With the "Hickory Division"

HAD BEEN PRISONER

HULMEVILLE, Mar. 30—A former Hulmeville resident, who has been much action in the European Theatre of Operations has been awarded the Silver Star.

The recipient is PFC William J.

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TRY-OUTS ARRANGED FOR THE "VARIETIES"

Fathers' Ass'n Schedules Such for Next Week; To Award Prizes

SHOW ON APRIL 13TH

The Bristol Fathers' Association will sponsor an amateur contest in the Bristol high school on Friday, April 13th. Students from the schools of Bristol and vicinity will compete for over $50 in prizes. Contestants will be divided into four groups: grades 1-3, 4-6, 7-9 and 10-12. Within each group two top prizes of $5, and a third prize of $3 will be awarded. Additional prizes may be given for special merit at the discretion of the judges.

Tryouts will be held at seven o'clock in the high school auditorium on Monday, April 2nd, for the two younger groups; Tuesday, April 3rd, for the two older groups. Singing, dancing, playing of an instrument or any other special talent will be accepted on these nights, and the best acts will be chosen for the final performance.

Tickets may be obtained from the schools or members of the Fathers' Association.

WANT ORDINANCE PASSED

DOYLESTOWN, Mar. 30 — The Doylestown Board of Health in session yesterday went on record as favoring the passage of a borough ordinance that would make it necessary for all food-handlers to have chest X-rays before getting their final health certificates. The X-rays will be furnished by the Bucks County Tuberculosis Society at their headquarters in Doylestown.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Soviets Launch Drive Inside Austria

Moscow—Powerful Red Army forces, reaching the Austrian border south of Neusiedler Lake, launched a drive today toward Wiener Neustadt, important industrial and communications center only 25 miles away, front dispatches reported.

East of the northern end of the lake more advancing Soviets were swinging into position for a smash through the Bratislava Gap, gateway to Vienna. This force was last reported a little more than 40 miles from the Austrian capital.

(The British radio, heard by CBS, quoted dispatches as saying the Russians were attacking Sopron, only 30 miles from Vienna. The broadcast described the town as the "bastion of the Bratislava Gap.")

Claims Tokyo Again Raided in Daylight

London—American Superfortresses plastered Tokyo with new-type incendiary bombs in another daylight raid on the Jap capital early this morning, the German Transocean News Agency stated today.

As Japan announced the formation of a new totalitarian party to "stream-line" the nation's anti-invasion plans, Berlin said that 150 aircraft took part in the latest raid, which has not yet been confirmed by Allied sources.

Fair Easter Skies

Philadelphia—Southeastern Pennsylvanians today were promised good weather for the Easter parade with the weatherman predicting a temperature in the mid-70's and sunny skies.

Nominations Listed For The P. T. A. at Yardley

YARDLEY, Mar. 30—The monthly meeting of Yardley Parent-Teacher Ass'n was held in the school with Joseph Longstreet presiding.

Mrs. William S. Taylor, chairman of the nominating committee, reported the following nominations: President, Marshall G. Hay; vice-president, George Jackson; secretary, Mrs. Donald N. Eames and treasurer, Nelson Dilliplane.

Election and installation of officers will take place at the next meeting.

A musical program was presented. The high school band under the direction of Henry D. Funk, music instructor, played several numbers. The Girls' Chorus with Miss Betty Smith as accompanist sang several selections and the school orchestra, with Miss Smith directing, favored with three numbers.

It was announced that the orchestra will conduct a dance on April 14, in the community centre.

AUXILIARY MEMBERS WILL DONATE BLOOD

V. F. W. Group Signs Up Under Lower Bensalem Chairman

DATES: APRIL 4 AND 5

Mrs. Dorothy Clifford, of Newport Terrace, president of Ladies' Auxiliary of Joseph A. Schumacher Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has signed up the majority of her members as blood donors for the American Red Cross, Mrs. Thomas R. Powell, blood donor chairman for Lower Bensalem Branch announced.

Lower Bensalem again amalgamates with Bristol when the blood donor mobile unit makes its semi-annual call in Bristol on April 4th and 5th at Bristol Methodist Church.

Major industries of Bensalem are again co-operating in this program, and Mrs. Powell requests that any person having made an appointment to give blood and finding it impossible to keep the date telephone Cornwells 0551 for a cancelation so that a replacement can be obtained from those unable to donate this time due to a full chart.

Holy Saturday Services Arranged By the Priests

Holy Saturday services are arranged for tomorrow by the local Catholic churches as follows:

St. Mark's, Blessing of the new fire, paschal candles, and Easter water, followed by High Mass at 8.30.

St. Ann's, 6.30 a. m., Blessing of Easter water, new fire, Easter candle and baptismal font; 7.30, High Mass and Holy Communion; beginning at nine, blessing of houses; seven and nine p. m., confessions.

Newsprint Price Is Raised $3 A Ton

WASHINGTON, Mar. 30 — The OPA today authorized newsprint manufacturers to charge $3 more per ton and estimated that the increase would cost newspaper publishers about $10,000,000 a year.

The boost will raise to $61 a ton the ceiling price for standard newsprint delivered to 38 port cities. It is effective immediately.

It was the third time the price of newsprint has been increased since the commodity was brought under price control in March, 1942. OPA pointed out that prices of newspapers are exempt from price control.

Mrs. A. R. Percy Dies; Injured in Recent Fall

Mrs. Ida W. Percy, widow of Alfred R. Percy, who sustained a broken ankle in a fall on March 14th, died in Harriman Hospital yesterday afternoon. Death is attributed to a heart attack.

Mrs. Percy who was born in Philadelphia, had resided in Bristol for approximately 50 years. She made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Charles L. Kline, 1221 Pond street. Other survivors are a step-daughter Miss Elizabeth H. Percy, Philadelphia; a step-son, A. Martin Percy, Collingswood, N. J.; a niece and a nephew.

The deceased was a member of St. James' Episcopal Church.

The service is arranged for Monday afternoon at two o'clock at the funeral home of Robert C. Ruehl, 314 Cedar street. Burial will take place in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

DESIRE NAMES

TULLYTOWN, Mar. 30 — The plaque committee requests all those who know the names of service men and women that do not already appear on the plaque, to give such to Ferdinand Bachofer, or to leave them at the post office, before April 7th.

KULP COMMANDING WAR DOG PLATOON IN NORTH ITALY

Bensalemite and Men Live Under Same Conditions As Infantrymen

DOGS' FINE RECORDS

Sick Dog Subject of Much Concern for Entire Platoon

WITH THE 5TH ARMY, ITALY, Mar. 30—An officer in the Quartermaster Corps, 1st Lt. John C. Kulp, Jr., of Bristol, R. D., Pa., commands a war dog platoon operating with the 338th Infantry Regiment of the 85th "Custer" Division on the Fifth Army front in northern Italy.

Kulp and his men go on patrols with the doughboys, send messages from forward command posts and generally live under the same conditions as the infantrymen.

Kulp's duties also include those of personnel, post exchange, supply and information and education officers. He is the only member of his group who did not own a dog before the war.

A former salesman for the B. F. Goodrich Tire Company in Harrisburg, Pa., Kulp was graduated from Quartermaster Corps Officer Candidate School and volunteered for the Canine Corps. At Fort Robinson, Neb., he attended classes given by a man under his present command, a volunteer platoon, which came overseas with the dogs.

"Leaving the camp, the States and the ship, we had to have health certificates for all the dogs," Kulp said. "We have records for each dog and personnel reports just like those for human soldiers. What the dog did in civilian life, his age, height, weight, color—all are on his service record.

"Although what I know about dogs I learned mostly in the army, I feel about a dog much like our men do. If one of them gets sick, it is a subject of worry for the entire platoon.

"We have a small, close-knit group. That makes it bad in case of casualties but that's the way we want it. We all can think of a better job in the army but in my case I don't think I'd ever want to leave my men—or my dogs."

Kulp was graduated from Simon Gratz High School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Penn State College, where he majored in English Literature and advertising.

His wife, Mrs. Anne Kulp and their daughter, Bonnie Anne, live at Cedar Lane Farm, Washington Lane, near Hulmeville Road, Bensalem Township. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kulp, live on Route 1, Parkville, Mo.

Rotarians See Films Of Pelileu Capture

The official war pictures which showed the capture of Peleliu Island in the South Pacific recently were the featured attraction when the Rotary Club met at the Elks' Home yesterday afternoon. The films portrayed the actual battle scenes, and actions of servicemen in prying the Japs from the island.

Announcement was made that the Rotary Club will sponsor the Easter party for the older group of the Youth Canteen on Monday evening.

"FAMILY NIGHT"

Dr. R. G. Torbet, of the Eastern Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, will be the speaker this evening at a "Family Night" program in First Baptist Church at 7.45. A musical program is also arranged.

WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

WITH THE FIRST UNITED STATES INFANTRY DIVISION IN GERMANY, Mar. 30 — Private First Class Anthony Perrone, of 337 Lafayette street, Bristol, Pa., recently was awarded the Bronze Star for heroic achievement.

He is the son of Mrs. Frances Perrone, of 337 Lafayette street, Bristol, Pa.

Citation of description of incident for which he was awarded medal reads:

"When the enemy launched an attack and his company's defensive positions were subjected to heavy artillery bombardment, Private Perrone courageously held his ground and directed rifle grenades and machine-gun fire upon the foe until the hostile thrust was repulsed. Private Perrone's heroic actions and unswerving devotion to duty exemplify the finest traditions of the service."

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FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1945

GOOD FRIDAY

For the fourth successive year the observance of Good Friday finds this nation engaged in a bloody war, with millions of the young men of the country far from their homes and loved ones. Millions of parents, wives and brothers and sisters are filled with deep concern. Worried minds are myriad and broken hearts are numerous. Suffering, whether mental or physical, has become commonplace.

Almost everywhere in the world blood is being spilled and tears are being shed. The dreary islands of the Pacific are disturbed by the boom of cannon and the cracking of the rifle. Mountains of Europe to which the thinker once repaired for quiet contemplation have echoed to the violent crash of the bomb and the thump of the mortar. Proud cities in which men of the world have long felt perfectly secure have become heaps of rubble. And the end of the turmoil and the strife is not yet in sight.

The world is passing through a tragedy which gives the heart of man a certain kinship with the heart of the suffering Christ. He, who was wholly innocent, underwent horrible torture for the salvation of mankind—a paramount example for those free of guilt who are suffering today. Sacrifice, which is the keynote of Christianity, is also the means of building a better world.

Sacrifice is the characteristic of the soldier who valorously gives his life in behalf of his fellowman. And the noble sacrifice of the soldier is transformed into lasting consolation for his loved ones. As mundane leaders frequently emphasize, it is only through sacrifice that it can be maintained.

GRAND FINALE

Further details of Hitler's plan to make a last stand at Berchtesgaden in no way changes the pattern of his imminent defeat. No spot in Germany or elsewhere is impregnable against the terrible might of Allied planes. The most powerful defenses, into which went many years of preparation, have crumbled under the weight of Allied bombs.

In this latest brainstorm Hitler is following closely the pattern of all would-be world dictators who have gone before. Napoleon had his 100 days following a crushing defeat which was assumed to have permanently eliminated him. Even while on Saint Helena he continued to dream of a return to power. As did Napoleon, Hitler hopes that world chaos following his defeat will bring about a condition that will make it possible for him to emerge as the only man to restore order in his own country.

Perhaps Nazi preparations in the Bavarian mountains have not been exaggerated in reports coming out of Germany. They sound most imposing in print. But five, ten, even twenty thousand Allied bombers can level the mountains in which Hitler and his war lords hope to find a safe haven, leaving nothing but huge piles of rock as monuments to their futile egotism.

Preparing for The Easter Celebration

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nion service will follow; young people will meet at seven p. m.

Thursday evening, Ladies Aid; Friday evening, choir practice and Girl Scouts.

South Langhorne Gospel Church

Grace Gospel Church, meeting in Red Men's Hall, South Langhorne, the Rev. William J. Oxenford, pastor: Sunday School, 10 a. m.; morning service at 11 o'clock, "Easter Reactions" will be the theme, followed by observance of The Lord's Supper; young people's meeting, seven p. m.; evening service at eight o'clock, subject, "Easter Triumphs."

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

South Langhorne Lutheran Church

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, South Langhorne, the Rev. W. S. Heist, pastor: service with celebration of Holy Communion tonight at eight; service with Holy Communion on Easter at nine a. m.; Sunday School, 10.30 a. m.; Easter festival by the Sunday School, 7.30 p. m.

Monthly meeting of the Church Council on Tuesday at eight p. m.

Newportville Community Church—Presbyterian

W. Philip Bembower, pastor; Sunday School for all ages at 10 a. m., C. Burnley White, there will be a pageant and special exercises for Easter; morning worship at 11.15, topic of Mr. Bembower's sermon is "The Master's Easter Greeting"; Y. P. C. U. and Jr. Fellowship, seven p. m.

Special Easter song service, 7.45 p. m., under direction of C. Bentley Collins, choir master.

Cornwells Methodist Church

P. Paul Freeman, pastor.

Six a. m., Easter dawn service; 10 a. m., special Easter program by Sunday School; 11.15, morning worship, sermon, "Good Morning"; seven, evening worship, sermon, "Recovering Lost Radiance"; 8.15 p. m., young people's meeting.

Croydon Methodist Church

Wilkinson Memorial Methodist Church, Croydon, P. Paul Freeman, pastor: nine a. m., Easter Sunday School program; 10, morning worship, sermon, "Good Morning"; seven p. m., Youth Fellowship; 8.15, evening service, sermon, "Recovering Lost Radiance."

Wednesday at eight p. m., prayer meeting.

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William M. Stout, 45, and Carrie Kalesmberger, 53, both of Pipersville.

LeLe M. Roderick, 57, Manhattan, Kansas, and Ethel Beadles, 59, Norristown.

John Royce Smith, 21, and Arlene Krammer Detweiler, 18, both of Blooming Glen.

Paul Norman Entler, 33, Spangler, and Gertrude Mary Bratton, 43, 317 Main street, Gallitzin.

LeRoy Thompson, 26, 639 Race street, and Christine Sampson, 21, 1020 Trenton avenue, both of Bristol.

Albert Younginger, 45, 2922 N. Camac street, and Lillian Glover, 34, of 6601 VanDyke street, both of Philadelphia.

Richard Myers, 21, and Grace Leatherman, 20, both of Pipersville.

Charles Salvatore Vattino, 33, 617 Cedar street, Bristol, and Doris Nickerson, 21, Edgely.

Thomas J. Still, 35, Buckingham, and Marion Johnson Brown, 34, 1815 N. 27th street, Philadelphia.

Frank Bomentre, 47, 313 Penn street, and Theresa Sinacore, 37, 213 Lafayette street, both of Bristol.

Wendell D. Stratton, 28, Snyder, N. Y., and Margery B. Lumsden, 22, Morrisville.



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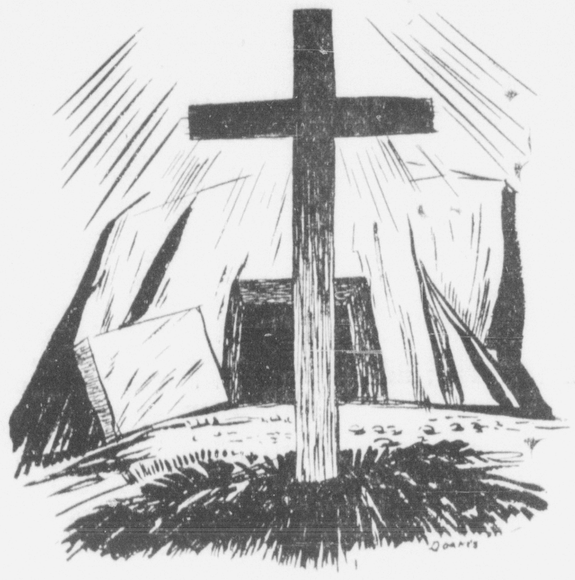
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AUCTIONS—LEGALS

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of William W. Barger, late of the Township of Bensalem, County of Bucks and State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration, cum testamento annexo, on the above estate, have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay, to

EDWARD J. MISKIEL
5101 Torresdale Ave.,
Philadelphia, Pa.
Administrator, C. T. A.

Or to his attorney,
I. LOUIS RUBIN, Esq.,
327 Mill St.,
Bristol, Pa.

3-9—6tow.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the committee on health, sanitation and poor, of the Borough of Bristol for the collection of dry garbage for the term of one year from the first day of May, A. D. 1945. All bids must be submitted not later than 12 o'clock noon of Saturday, March 31, 1945, and shall be addressed to William J. Lefferts, secretary of Borough Council.

Only dry garbage shall be collected. Collector must collect and remove all garbage placed in receptacles along the streets by the residents thereof.

Wagon or vehicle used by collector must be perfectly water-tight.

All garbage must be disposed of at a place not less than one mile except when Sunday intervenes.

The collector must gather and haul away the garbage from the borough at least every other day, except when Sunday intervenes.

The collector must not spread or spill any of the contents from the receptacles or vessels upon the streets or the sidewalks of the borough.

The person to whom the bid is awarded will be required to furnish a bond in the sum of $1,000 with two or more sureties to be approved by said committee in the condition provided in the hereafter mentioned ordinance.

The collector of garbage shall be subject to the ordinance of the borough of Bristol regulating the collection of garbage within the borough of Bristol and providing penalties for violation thereof adopted the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1916, which ordinance may be examined by any prospective bidder at the office of the Secretary of the Town Council at the Municipal Building, Bristol, Pa.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

PERCY—At Bristol, Pa., March 29, 1945, Ida W., wife of the late Alfred R. Percy. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services at the Ruehl Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

Cards of Thanks 2

WE WISH—To thank all those who sent cards at the time of the death of Staff Sgt. Eli Tettemer.
MOTHER AND SISTERS

WE WISH TO THANK—All those who sent flowers, cards, furnished automobiles or assisted in any way at the time of our recent bereavement.
THE EMBISCUSO FAMILY

Funeral Directors 5

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals, William I. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

HAEFNER FUNERAL HOME—Cornwells Heights. Every detail handled with utmost understanding and reliable knowledge. Phone Cornwells 0422.

Societies and Lodges 9

BENEFICIAL HALL — For rent, good for parties, dances, weddings, etc. Call at 238 Franklin St., Bristol 2559.

Strayed, Lost, Found 10

LOST—Collie dog, tan and white, large, about 2 yrs. old. No identification. Edgely or vicinity. Phone Bristol 7216. Reward.

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 11

37 PLYMOUTH COUPE—Heater. No dealers. Lambert, 4th & Miller avs., Croydon. Phone Bristol 7481.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Services Offered 18

GARDEN PLOWING—Grading and all kinds of team work. Phone 7779 or 7159.

REFRIGERATION REPAIRS. Maxwell Koplin, phone Bris, 2221.

RADIOS REPAIRED—All makes, prompt service, Bristol 3866, Croydon, Pa. A. Magazzu.

APPLIANCE REPAIRS—Radio and electric. Stop at 318 Dixon Ave., Maple Shade, or call Bristol 7153.

CEMENT WORK—Landscaping, gardening, pruning, etc. Evergreens and top soil for sale. Cemetery lots cared for. E. Costantini, 1229 Pine Grove. Phone 2450.

Building and Contracting 19

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey, ph. Bristol 7125.

FOR ANY CONSTRUCTION—Maintenance or repairs call Bris. 2400 or Mor. 7441. Financing arranged.

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Painting, Papering, Decorating 26

HOUSE PAINTING — Interior and exterior painting. First class mechanics. Floor sanding and finishing. Anywhere in vicinity of Bristol. Estimates given. Send card, R. Higgins, c/o Harry Darr, Cedar and Penna. aves., Croydon.

Repairing and Refinishing 24

RUGS & LIVING ROOM SUITES—Cleaned & shampooed. Also porch furniture & lawn furniture spray-painted. Work called for & delivered. Drop a card to Paramount Rug Cleaners, 100 E. Union st., Burlington, N. J., or phone Burl. 3, if no ans. ph. Burl. 1, if no answer call Burl. 7.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

HAIRDRESSER—Exper. 5 day wk. Excel. salary. Ida's Beauty Salon, 311 Mill St.

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Farewell Gifts Given To A Local WAVE Recruit

Miss June Harmen, Spruce street, who recently enlisted in the WAVES, left last week for Hunter College, N. Y., where she will train.

The office force of Rohm and Haas Co., where Miss Harmen was employed, gave her a surprise farewell party at her home. About 30 were present, and the evening was enjoyed dancing. Refreshments were served.

The guests presented Miss Harmen with gifts and a sum of money.

In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.
Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hellings, Walnut street, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arthur, Philadelphia, over the week-end.

Pvt. Harry Campbell, Madison street, who was stationed in California, has arrived in France, his wife has been informed.

Mrs. Jane Beidleman, Morrisville, was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Sr., Cedar street.

Maurice Singer, P. O. 2/c, Bainbridge, Md., spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Anna Singer, Mill street.

Jesse Merle Bachofer, who is stationed in Germany, has been promoted from sergeant to staff sergeant. In a recent letter to his wife on Lafayette street, Staff Sgt. Bachofer informed that he spent three days in Paris.

Mrs. Hirschel Culbertson, Trenton avenue, and Mrs. Harry Southerly, Philadelphia, spent the week-end in Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. Walter Arrison, Winder Village, spent a few days recently with her father, Fred Bell, Lowell, Mass., formerly of Bristol.

Miss Fanny Tisione, Wood street, spent Sunday with relatives in Harrisburg.

Miss Eileen Hackman, Radcliffe street, left Wednesday to spend the Easter holidays at her home in Coopersburg.

Miss Elva Cruse, Otter street, left Wednesday for her home in Picture Rock, where she is spending the Easter holidays.

Peter Caputa, S. 2/c, who was stationed at Sampson, N. Y., has been transferred to Corpus Christi, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Caputa, Market street.

Miss Mary Haines, who was a patient in the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, has returned to her home on Radcliffe street.

Ruth Bown, Y. 2/c, has returned to Savannah, Ga., after spending five days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bown, Jefferson avenue.

Mrs. Leslie Strumfels and son, Leslie, Jr., returned to their home in Plainfield, N. J., after spending a week wtih Mrs. Anna Strumfels, Cedar street.

Marvin Hutchinson, S. 1/c, San Francisco, Cal.; and Mrs. Cecil Hill, Langeloth, spent a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Hutchinson, Hayes street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berton Carnett and family spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Carnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Landreth, Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Ennis, Maple street, entertained on Sunday, Mrs. Katharine Carr, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Waugh, and family, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lewis Wright, Mrs. Victor Roberts, Mrs. Robert Green and "Judy" Judd, Morrisville, are guests today of Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Kelly, Jackson street.

Today's Quiet Moment

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By Rev. Paul R. Ronge, B. D.
Pastor of
Zion Lutheran Church

—o—

Merciful and Everlasting God, who hast not spared Thine only Son, but delivered Him up for us all, that He might bear our sins upon the cross, Grant that our hearts may be fixed with stedfast faith upon Him.

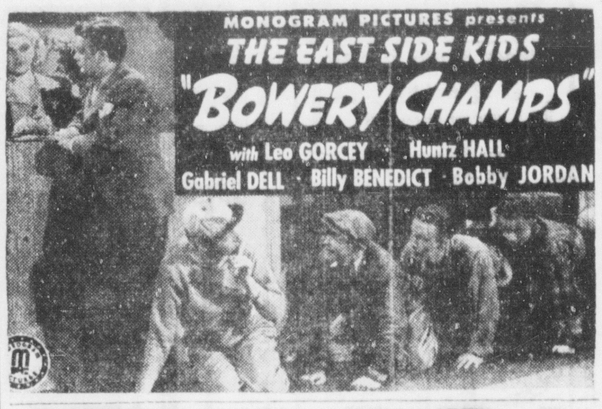
Grant that we may be willing to acknowledge our great guilt that brought Him such suffering and bitter death. Grant us, that we may overcome sin and live unto thee.

We pray that we may realise Thine inestimable love in the redemption of the World by our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Enable us to appreciate the blessed results of the suffering and death of Christ, that our hearts may be so fixed with steadfast faith in him that we may not fear the power of our adversaries, but find our strength and safety, our peace and blessedness for time and eternity.

We give thee most hearty thanks for this Thy marvellous grace, in that Thou hast caused Him, who knew no sin, to be made sin for us, that we might be made the righteousness of God in Him.

This we pray through Jesus Christ who gave himself for us. Amen.

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O Master of the waking world,
Who hast the nations in Thy heart—
The heart that bled and broke to send
Thy love to earth's remotest part:
Show us anew in Calvary
The wondrous power
That makes men free!
—Frank Mason North



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MAJORETTES WIN CHAMPIONSHIP OF TRENTON LEAGUE

Fleetwings Sparrows Lose Tilt Which Gives Honors To The Majorettes

2ND STRAIGHT YEAR

Capt. Emily Sak Plays Fine Defensive Game For The Sparrows

The Majorettes captured the championship of the Trenton Playground League for the second consecutive year by beating the Fleetwings Sparrows, 45-37, in the third and deciding game of the playoff series.

The Majorettes started out slowly and took a 9-7 advantage at the first quarter whistle but they gradually increased this until at halftime they were in front, 24-17. The lead jumped to 38-28 at the end of the third period while the Sparrows outscored the ultimate winners in the final session.

Captain Emily Sak played a fine defensive game for the Sparrows while Betty Duffy led the scorers with 17 points. Flagg had eighteen points for the winners with Parsons netting 17.

Sparrows	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Tot.
Gillenwater f	5	1	11
Duffy f	6	5	17
Hayes c	3	3	9
Sak c	0	0	0
S. Marazzo g	0	0	0
Elcenko g	0	0	0
T. Marazzo g	0	0	0
	14	9	37
Majorettes			
Parsons f	7	3	17
Byrne f	5	0	10
Flagg f	7	4	18
Lapman c	0	0	0
Ford g	0	0	0
Reitzle g	0	0	0
Kushner g	0	0	0
	19	7	45

Referee: Ann Jeffers.



Sportsmen's Briefs

BY JOE ELBERSON

Listen, you kids . . . we've a favor to ask of you and we hope you'll take it in the right spirit. It will be of benefit to all concerned, if you'll help. Here's the story: Each year just about this time, when marbles, baseball and fishing are playing increasingly important roles in your daily activities, we know that scores of you fellows will take your fishing poles out along the Canal. If I didn't have to work I'd probably be there with you a good many days of each week.

Now, when you're fishing for "sunnies" and you happen to hook into a bass, won't you put him back in the water? The bass, you know, are beginning to think about raising their annual families, and if you catch them now all of us will have fewer fish later on because they won't have time to have their families.

That's why the official season opens on July 1st . . . it gives the bass a chance to lay their eggs and hatch their young, and by July 1st the young have been born and are already growing larger so that we can catch them next year or the year after.

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County Federation meeting . . . next Monday evening, April 2, at the Monument Restaurant, Main and Court streets, Doylestown. Delegates from all member clubs are urged to be on hand. Refreshments and entertainment will follow the business session.

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Beagles in championship form . . . At Yardville, N. J., last Sunday, "Gumbo Spotty Boy," owned and handled by George E. Ritter, won first prize in the Eastern Federation Stake (15-inch class). Later in the day, in the Atlantic Beagle Association events, "Laddie Buck," owned and handled by William Ritter, took third honors in the 13-inch class. Gumbo Spotty Boy took second honors in the 15-inch class of this event.

These two dogs, Laddie Buck and Gumbo Spotty Boy, are 14-month-old brothers and both have now qualified for big trials to be held in the near future. Laddie Buck is now qualified for the Atlantic Beagle Club finals to be run at West Chester tomorrow; the Delaware Association finals at Scranton on April 7th; and the Eastern Federation finals to be held at Reading on April 8th. Gumbo Spotty Boy has also qualified for the trials at West Chester and Reading.

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Membership drive . . . the Bristol Fish & Game Protective Association is at the present moment, according to all reports, just about to top the highest membership it has ever had since its inception in 1914. Record high to date is 298 members and the 1945 drive is now just a few below this figure. This increase in membership is reflected in the increase of Association activities and programs, of aid and interest to both members and non-member sportsmen in this area. If you're not a member it would be worth your while to make inquiry. Your sportsman friend is probably a member already.

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Contest headquarters . . . for the second straight year fishing contest headquarters for the annual contest conducted by the Bristol Fish & Game Protective Association for its members will be located at Diamond Sporting Goods, 134 Mill street. Prizes with a total value of $30 in five divisions have been offered by the Club. You must be a member, however, to participate.

Germany Cracks Wide Open On Western Front

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captured towns of Bocken, Bocholt and Dorsten.

Points of Montgomery's deepest penetrations were not disclosed. But the U. S. Ninth Army, under his command, was revealed to have gained at least six miles between Duisburg and Dorsten.

On Germany's collapsing Eastern Front, the Soviet High Command announced, 130,000 Wehrmacht troops were killed or captured in fighting south of Koenigsberg. Enemy resistance was wiped out below the eastern Prussian capital.

And as German broadcasts admitted the loss of the Baltic port of Danzig, Moscow military commentators declared Soviet forces before Berlin were lined up for what they termed the "decisive and final battle."

One commentator — estimating that less than 260 miles separated spearheads of the Eastern and Western Allied armies—said:

"Germany will now be split and destroyed. Nothing will change the course of Allied operations."

TULLYTOWN

The Tullytown Fire Co. was called out Monday afternoon to a grass fire in town.

Mrs. Christopher A. Johnson was a Tuesday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowman, Springfield.

The Women's Society for Christian Service of Tullytown Methodist Church held a covered dish supper in the church social room on Tuesday evening.

The Tullytown public schools closed Thursday for the Easter holidays.

William Lynch, Bethlehem, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynch.

Mrs. Benjamin King and son Michael spent the week-end with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Walter Strouse is among those on the sick list.

Frank Maybury, S. 1/c, Quonset Point, R. I., week-ended with his wife, Mrs. Jessie Maybury, and children.

Miss Helen Hertzler, West Chester, week-ended at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King.

CROYDON

Mrs. Domenico Cotugno had as a Friday guest her nephew, Mario De Cesaris, S. 1/c, who was home on leave from Corpus Christi, Texas. Mrs. Ida De Cesaris and son Albert, Washington, D. C., were also Friday guests of Mrs. Cotugno.

Mr. and Mrs. Domenico Cotugno entertained on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Jannetti, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cichini and son Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Cesari, Anna Marie Cesari, Philadelphia; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lavrigata and daughter Marie, of Bristol.

Miss Florence Grafenstein, State Road, was taken to her home from Temple Hospital, Philadelphia, Wednesday, in the rescue squad ambulance.

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Recent guests of Mrs. William Wurst were Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Moock, Mr. and Mrs. John Aiken, Wilmington, Del.; Charles Leeds, Atlantic City, N. J.; Frank Jessberger, M. S., and Miss Helen Moock.

Last week, Mrs. W. J. Wurst, Miss Helen Moock, William, Jr., and Robert Wurst visited radio station WCAU in Philadelphia. Mrs. Wurst was one of the contestants on a radio program, "Fun in Studio One." An Easter basket prize was awarded to her for questions answered.

Miss Jean Good has been ill for two weeks. She is recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Good, at West Hazleton.

Miss "Sally" Vandegrift has accepted a position with the W. T. Grant Co., Frankford.

Frances Berg was confined to her home last week.

"Jackie" Boothe sustained a cut right arm while playing on Monday. Three stitches were taken in the injury at Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia.

Virginia and James Caspers are confined to their home with attacks of grippe.

Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown were Mr. and Mrs. James Fairburn, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fillers and family have moved from Andalusia to New Mexico.

Award Silver Star To Pfc. Wm. J. Keen

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Keen, son of Mrs. Joseph Keen, Hulmeville; and husband of Mrs. Nellie Keen, Morrisville.

PFC Keen, who had been reported missing in Belgium as of December 19th, and who was released by American soldiers five days later, is with the 30th Infantry Division of the 9th Army, known as the "Hickory Division." The presentation of the Silver Star was made by Major Gen'l Leland S. Hobbs.

It was during the drive on Aachen that Keen became a prisoner of war.

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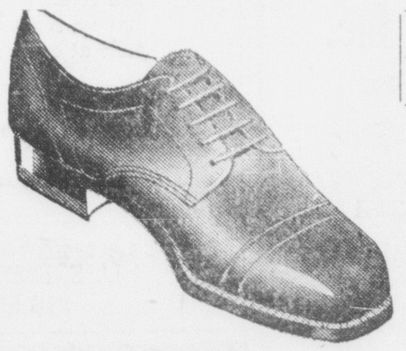




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